

NATURAL RESOURCE SERVICES

Cultural Uses

DOMINANT INFLUENCES ON CULTURE DEVELOPMENT

- PLACE: Historically the most significant influence on culture development
- HISTORY: A People's connection to place





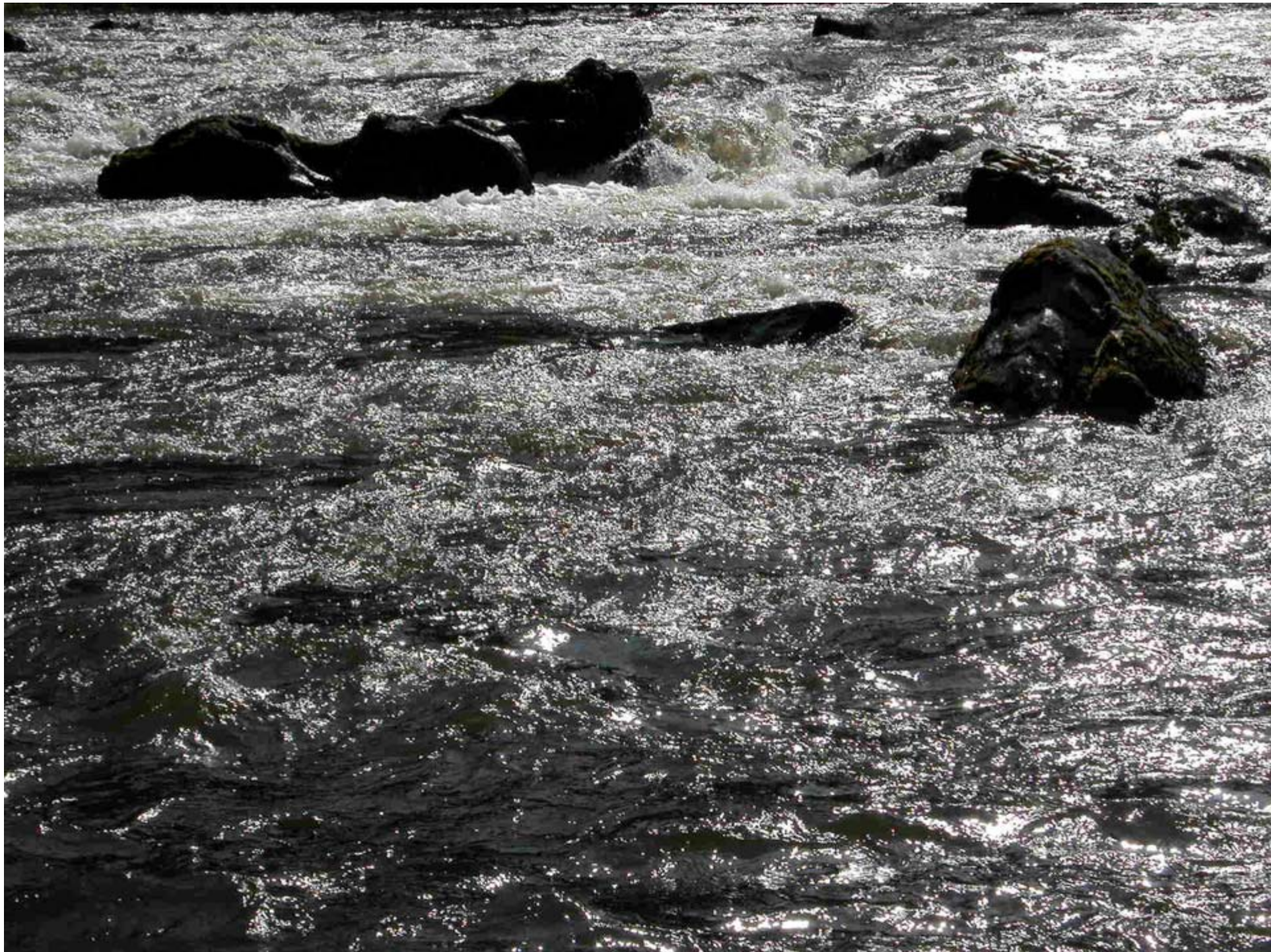
IMPORTANT ELEMENTS OF TRIBAL CULTURE

- Generational Continuum
- Religion
- Subsistence
- Medicine
- Other Necessities
- Language

CULTURE: Generational Continuum

- Cultural respect for ancestors' accomplishments and for elders
- Cultural concern for seven generations into the future





CULTURE: Religion

- Close connection to place
- Reverence for natural resources and elements
- Related ceremonies

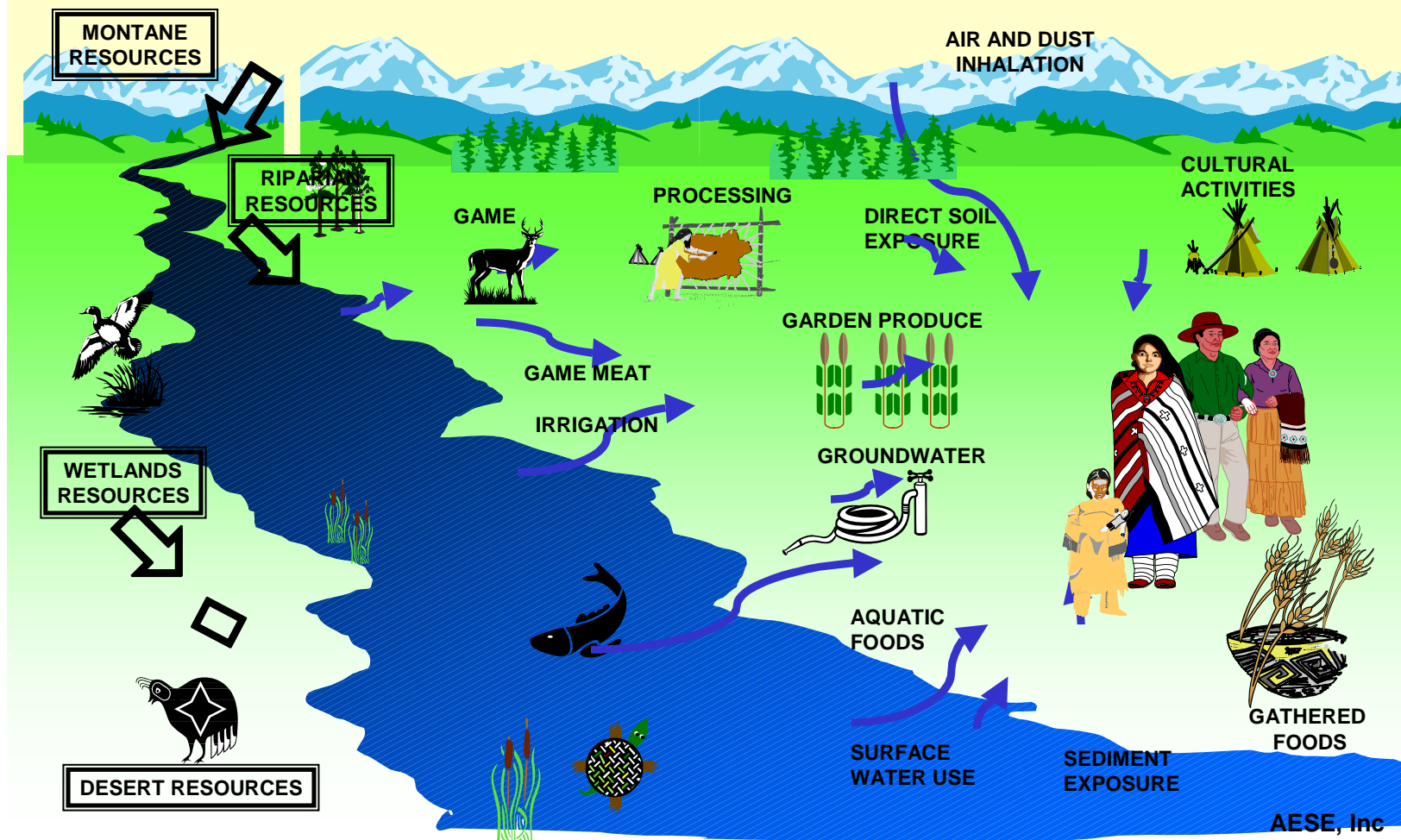


CULTURE: Subsistence

- Dependence on natural resources
- Knowledge of fish, wildlife, plants and their ecosystems

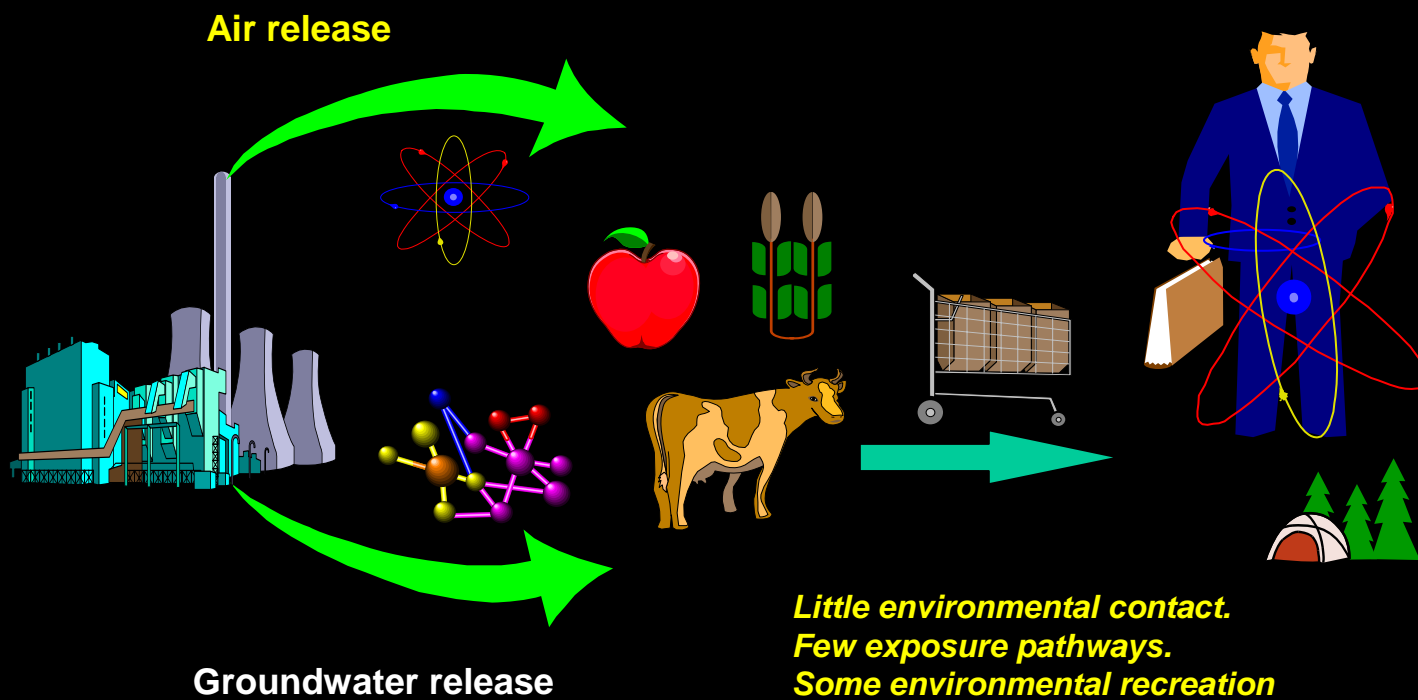


A Traditional Environmental Knowledge-based Scenario





Simplified Concept of a Suburban Exposure Scenario



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CULTURE: Medicines

- Highly localized
- Institutional knowledge gained from millennia of experiences



CULTURE: Other necessities

- Shelter
- Clothing
- Other





CULTURE: Language

- Close connection to Place
- Critical element of culture

